

Meeting community needs in Colorado. More than **34,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to solve problems and strengthen communities through **101** national service projects across Colorado. Serving with national and community nonprofit organizations, faith-based groups, schools, and local agencies, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, organize local homeland security efforts, respond to disasters, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will provide more than **\$13,900,000** to support Colorado communities through three major programs:



Senior Corps: More than **10,000** seniors in Colorado contribute their time and talents in one of three programs: **Foster Grandparents**, who serve one-on-one with more than **4,400** young people who have special needs; **Senior Companions**, who help more than **900** other seniors live independently in their homes; and **RSVP** volunteers, who work with more than **1,300** local groups to meet a wide range of community needs, including safety patrols with local police departments, environmental projects, tutoring and mentoring, and responding to natural disasters.



AmeriCorps: This year, more than **800 individuals** are serving in Colorado communities as AmeriCorps members. In return, the members receive an education award of up to \$4,725 to help pay for college or pay back student loans. To date, more than **2,600** Colorado residents have qualified for education awards totaling more than **\$9,000,000**. Two-thirds of AmeriCorps grants are made by the Governor's Commission on Community Service. National nonprofits, such as Habitat for Humanity and the Boys and Girls Clubs of America, make other assignments. Other members serve in AmeriCorps*VISTA, and AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps).



Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides schools, colleges, and community organizations with grants for service-learning. These grants help make it possible for more than **24,000** Colorado students to meet community needs while improving their civic and academic skills and learning the habits of good citizenship.

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"AmeriCorps members serve their communities by improving education, protecting public safety, building and restoring housing, improving health care, safeguarding the environment, providing disaster relief and promoting citizenship. AmeriCorps helps instill the values of responsibility and an ethic of service while effectively preparing young Americans for the future by improving their job-readiness, communication, and problem-solving skills."

Governor Bill Owens

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<u>Senior Corps</u>	<u>Projects</u>	<u>Participants</u>	<u>Funding</u>
RSVP	14	10,017	\$1,036,815
Foster Grandparent Program	4	389	\$1,296,704
Senior Companion Program	2	154	\$531,190
Senior Corps Total	20	10,560	\$2,864,709

<u>AmeriCorps</u>	<u>Program Sites</u>	<u>Members¹</u>	<u>Funding²</u>
AmeriCorps*State	15	255	\$2,837,358
AmeriCorps*National	36	224	\$980,757
AmeriCorps*VISTA	23	67	\$951,400
AmeriCorps Promise Fellows	1	3	\$123,000
AmeriCorps Homeland Security ³	1	0	\$20,616
AmeriCorps*NCCC ⁴	1	324	\$4,996,224
AmeriCorps Total	77	873	\$9,909,355

<u>Learn and Serve America</u>	<u>Grantees</u>	<u>Subgrantees</u>	<u>Participants</u>	<u>Funding</u>
School-based programs	1	24	12,451	\$600,462
Higher Education programs	1	2	3,930	\$139,957
Community-based programs	1	12	8,000	\$200,000
Learn and Serve America Total	3	38	24,381	\$940,419

<u>Special Volunteer Programs</u>	<u>Projects</u>		<u>Volunteers</u>	<u>Funding</u>
Homeland Security	1		1,900	\$217,400
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Total National Service Resources	101	38	37,714	\$13,931,883

¹ This figure represents the number of enrolled members, as of March 15th, 2003. Many AmeriCorps programs have additional slots which may be filled during the 2002-2003 program year.

² This figure does not include the education award that each AmeriCorps member receives after completing a term of service. To date, more than **2,600** Colorado residents have qualified for education awards totaling more than **\$9,000,000**.

³ Colorado's AmeriCorps Homeland Security programs have not enrolled any members at this time.

⁴ Colorado is served by the AmeriCorps*NCCC campus located in Denver. In the past year, the members based at this campus performed service projects throughout Colorado. Members also serve in Iowa, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.



Senior Corps in Colorado

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(If different)</i>	Number of Volunteers	Program Type
Boulder	Kiwanis Club of the Foothills Boulder County RSVP	1,367	RSVP
Cedaredge	RSVP Colorado West	990	RSVP
Denver	Volunteers of America Denver VOA FGP	198	Foster Grandparents
Denver	Seniors Resource Center, Inc. RSVP Jefferson County Colorado	950	RSVP
Denver	Volunteers of America Denver RSVP	940	RSVP
Denver	Seniors!, Inc. Denver SCP	120	Senior Companions
Eagle	Eagle County Governmentt Health & Human Services Eagle/Summit County RSVP	400	RSVP
Federal Heights	The Senior Hub, Inc. Adams/Arapahoe RSVP	600	RSVP
Flagler	Lincoln County Commisioners Lincoln/Kit Carson RSVP	373	RSVP
Fort Collins	Volunteers of America/Larimer RSVP/VOA Larimer County	1,000	RSVP
Glenwood Springs	Colorado Mountain College High Country RSVP	653	RSVP
Grand Junction	St. Mary's Hospital St. Mary's FGP	60	Foster Grandparents
Grand Junction	Mesa County RSVP Inc Mesa County RSVP	865	RSVP
Grand Junction	St. Mary's Hospital St. Mary's SCP	34	Senior Companions
Greeley	University of Northern Colorado Weld County RSVP	730	RSVP
La Junta	Otero County Department of Human Services RSVP of Otero, Bent & Crowley	385	RSVP
Monte Vista	San Luis Valley Comp Comm Mental Health San Luis Valley RSVP	220	RSVP
Pueblo	Pueblo Sen Resource Development Agency, Inc. Pueblo FGP	81	Foster Grandparents
Pueblo	Pueblo Sen Resource Development Agency, Inc. Pueblo RSVP	544	RSVP



Senior Corps in Colorado

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(If different)</i>	Number of Volunteers	Program Type
Trinidad	Seniors! Inc. Trinidad FGP	50	Foster Grandparents
Total Number of National Senior Service Corps Volunteers		10,560	



AmeriCorps in Colorado

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name (if different)	Number of Enrolled Members	Program Type
Statewide	Governor's Commission on Community Service Colorado AmeriCorps Promise Fellows Program	3	AmeriCorps Promise Fellows
Statewide	Bright Beginnings Language Power Corps	22	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Colorado Department of Education Colorado Mentors on the Move	40	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Colorado Parent and Child Foundation Colorado HIPPO Corps	43	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Colorado Youth Corps Association	1	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Partners Recruitment Campaign	8	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	The Archdiocese of Denver Operation Jump Start AmeriCorps	22	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Colorado Department of Education	13	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Statewide	Habitat for Humanity of Colorado	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Statewide	Project Yes	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Aurora	Colorado Campus Compact Community College of Aurora	3	AmeriCorps*National
Aurora	Metropolitan Community Provider Network Community HealthCorps	8	AmeriCorps*National
Boulder	Colorado Campus Compact University of Colorado, Boulder	3	AmeriCorps*National
Boulder	Colorado Campus Compact Naropa University	1	AmeriCorps*National
Boulder	I Have a Dream/Notre Dame AmeriCorps - Boulder	14	AmeriCorps*National
Boulder	Boulder Department of Social Services Boulder County Department of Social Services	5	AmeriCorps*State
Boulder	University of Colorado Recycling Service	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Colorado Springs	Colorado Campus Compact Colorado College	3	AmeriCorps*National
Colorado Springs	Colorado Campus Compact CU Colorado Springs	1	AmeriCorps*National
Colorado Springs	Students in Free Enterprise Entrepreneur Corps	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Commerce City	Adams County School District 14 CARENET AmeriCorps	19	AmeriCorps*State
Commerce City	Commerce City Community Enterprise	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	American Red Cross - Mile High Chapter ² Homeland Security Program	0	AmeriCorps Homeland
Denver	Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Denver Robert W. Steele Boys & Girls Club	1	AmeriCorps*National



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Denver	Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Denver J. Churchill Owen Boys & Girls Club	1	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Colorado Campus Compact CU Denver	3	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Colorado Campus Compact I Have a Dream Foundation - Denver	2	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Colorado Campus Compact Regis University	26	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Colorado Campus Compact University of Denver	18	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Colorado Campus Compact - Parent ³		AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Habitat for Humanity of Metro Denver Denver Habitat*AmeriCorps	6	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Student Conservation Association ² Cherry Creek State Park	0	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	Urban Education Service Corps - Denver	16	AmeriCorps*National
Denver	AmeriCorps*NCCC Central Region Campus	324	AmeriCorps*NCCC
Denver	Year One Mile High Youth Corps AmeriCorps	19	AmeriCorps*State
Denver	Boys and Girls Clubs of Metro Denver	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Catholic Charities Denver	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Colorado Alliance for Microenterprise Initiatives	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Colorado Department of Education	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	CSU Denver Cooperative Extension	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	CSU Denver Cooperative Extension	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Dress for Success	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Mile High Youth Corps	4	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Share Our Strength Operation Frontline	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Summer Scholars	6	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	The Conflict Center	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Denver	Youthbiz	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Dinosaur	Student Conservation Association ² Dinosaur National Monument	0	AmeriCorps*National
Durango	Colorado Campus Compact Fort Lewis College	15	AmeriCorps*National
Estes Park	Public Allies Eagle Rock	12	AmeriCorps*National
Estes Park	Student Conservation Association ² Rocky Mountain National Park	0	AmeriCorps*National



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Florissant	Student Conservation Association ² Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument	0	AmeriCorps*National
Fort Collins	Larimer County Workforce Center Colorado Youth Conservation and Service Corps	26	AmeriCorps State
Fort Collins	Educo School of Colorado	5	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Fort Collins	Fort Collins Area United Way	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Ft. Lupton	Plan de Salud del Valle Salud Community HealthCorps	5	AmeriCorps*National
Glenwood Springs	Colorado Campus Compact Colorado Mountain College	1	AmeriCorps*National
Grand Junction	Colorado Campus Compact Mesa State College	59	AmeriCorps*National
Grand Junction	Mesa State College AmeriCorps Project	13	AmeriCorps*State
Greater Denver	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Colorado THE BIG LITERACY CORPS	12	AmeriCorps*State
Greater Denver	Denver Community Partnership Community Partnership for Youth Transition	11	AmeriCorps*State
Greely	Colorado Campus Compact University of Northern Colorado	6	AmeriCorps*National
Gunnison	Colorado Campus Compact Western State College of Colorado	2	AmeriCorps*National
Gunnison	Student Conservation Association ² Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park	0	AmeriCorps*National
Gunnison	Student Conservation Association ² Curecanti National Recreation Area	0	AmeriCorps*National
Gunnison	Student Conservation Association ² Montrose District	0	AmeriCorps*National
Lafayette	Boulder Valley School District Colorado Literacy Corps	19	AmeriCorps*State
Lakewood	Colorado Campus Compact Red Rocks Community College	4	AmeriCorps*National
Mesa Verde Nat. Park	Student Conservation Association ² Mesa Verde National Park	0	AmeriCorps*National
Mosca	Student Conservation Association ² Great Sand Dunes National Park	0	AmeriCorps*National
Northern Colorado	Colorado Campus Compact Front Range Community College	1	AmeriCorps*National
Pueblo	Colorado Campus Compact University of Southern Colorado	12	AmeriCorps*National



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Pueblo	Pueblo Community College AmeriCorps Project	14	AmeriCorps*State
Pueblo	Cesar Chavez Academy	4	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Saguache County	Nat. Fed. of Community Development Credit Unions Saguache County Credit Union	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Sheridan	Sheridan Family Resource Center	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Steamboat Springs	Rocky Mountain Youth Corps Healthy Lifestyles Mentoring Program	7	AmeriCorps*State
Trinidad	Colorado Campus Compact Trinidad State Junior College	1	AmeriCorps*National

Total Number of Enrolled AmeriCorps Members	873
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This figure represents the number of enrolled members, as of March, 2003. Many AmeriCorps programs have additional slots which may be filled during 2003.

¹ Programs with the same name represent different grants to the same program.

² This program has not yet enrolled members for the 2002-2003 program year.

³ This program is the parent site of a national program. Members are listed in the city and state where they serve.



Learn and Serve America in Colorado

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(if different)</i>	Students	In-State Subgrantees ¹	Program Type
Statewide	Colorado Department of Education Colorado Service-Learning School-Based Grants	11,676	21	School-based
Aurora	American Association of Community Colleges Community College of Aurora	150	1	Higher Education
Aurora	University of Pennsylvania - CHESP Community College of Aurora	20	1	School-based
Denver	Governor's Commission on Community Service	8,000	12	Community-Based
Denver	Corella and Bertram F. Bonner Foundation U. of Denver	30	1	Higher Education
Denver	University of Pennsylvania - CHESP Regis University	250	1	School-based
Denver	University of Pennsylvania - CHESP University of Denver	505	1	School-based
Fort Collins	Colorado State University Mobilizing Across the Curriculum	3,750		Higher Education
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		24,381	38	

¹ If the subgrantees of a parent program are listed on this page, they are not also counted in that parent program's subgrant column. Also, subgrantees show a "1" in this column, which refers to themselves.



Through the **President's Student Service Challenge**, students in kindergarten through college receive presidential recognition for their outstanding community service. Students who serve 100 hours or more are eligible for a **President's Student Service Award**. Since 1999, more than 804 Colorado students have received this award. In the **President's Student Service Scholarship** program, two students from each high school may receive a \$1,000 college scholarship for outstanding service to the community. Since 1997, more than 383 Colorado students have received these scholarships.



The **National Service-Learning Leader Schools** program recognizes middle and high schools for their excellence in service-learning. Telluride Middle School/High School, the Eagle Rock School and Professional Development Center in Estes Park and Grand Junction High School have been recognized as Leader Schools.

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